

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

42. Union affiliation of employed wage and salary workers by occupation and industry

(Numbers in thousands)

Occupation and industry	1999					2000				
	Total em- ployed	Members of unions ¹		Represented by unions ²		Total em- ployed	Members of unions ¹		Represented by unions ²	
		Total	Percent of em- ployed	Total	Percent of em- ployed		Total	Percent of em- ployed	Total	Percent of em- ployed
OCCUPATION										
Managerial and professional specialty	34,693	4,594	13.2	5,352	15.4	35,378	4,536	12.8	5,277	14.9
Executive, administrative, and managerial	16,000	903	5.6	1,138	7.1	16,434	875	5.3	1,075	6.5
Professional specialty	18,693	3,691	19.7	4,215	22.5	18,944	3,661	19.3	4,202	22.2
Technical, sales, and administrative support	35,514	3,191	9.0	3,609	10.2	36,124	3,119	8.6	3,521	9.7
Technicians and related support	4,188	461	11.0	523	12.5	4,279	431	10.1	500	11.7
Sales occupations	13,451	549	4.1	613	4.6	13,677	481	3.5	533	3.9
Administrative support, including clerical	17,874	2,182	12.2	2,474	13.8	18,167	2,207	12.1	2,487	13.7
Service occupations	16,829	2,151	12.8	2,336	13.9	16,953	2,234	13.2	2,441	14.4
Protective service	2,427	927	38.2	991	40.8	2,384	938	39.4	1,003	42.1
Service, except protective service	14,403	1,224	8.5	1,346	9.3	14,569	1,295	8.9	1,438	9.9
Precision production, craft, and repair	12,474	2,800	22.4	2,929	23.5	12,716	2,783	21.9	2,910	22.9
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	17,514	3,627	20.7	3,830	21.9	17,642	3,498	19.8	3,687	20.9
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	7,255	1,490	20.5	1,572	21.7	7,043	1,366	19.4	1,442	20.5
Transportation and material moving occupations	5,041	1,148	22.8	1,216	24.1	5,182	1,195	23.1	1,260	24.3
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	5,218	989	18.9	1,042	20.0	5,417	938	17.3	984	18.2
Farming, forestry, and fishing	1,940	113	5.8	125	6.4	1,974	89	4.5	109	5.5
INDUSTRY										
Private wage and salary workers	100,025	9,419	9.4	10,216	10.2	101,810	9,148	9.0	9,969	9.8
Agriculture	1,721	43	2.5	48	2.8	1,821	38	2.1	45	2.5
Nonagricultural industries	98,304	9,376	9.5	10,168	10.3	99,989	9,110	9.1	9,924	9.9
Mining	531	57	10.6	60	11.4	499	54	10.9	57	11.4
Construction	6,230	1,187	19.1	1,224	19.6	6,666	1,220	18.3	1,268	19.0
Manufacturing	19,323	3,024	15.6	3,209	16.6	19,167	2,832	14.8	2,999	15.6
Durable goods	11,824	1,941	16.4	2,063	17.5	11,688	1,791	15.3	1,894	16.2
Nondurable goods	7,499	1,083	14.4	1,146	15.3	7,480	1,041	13.9	1,105	14.8
Transportation and public utilities	7,317	1,865	25.5	1,956	26.7	7,508	1,805	24.0	1,920	25.6
Transportation	4,450	1,136	25.5	1,186	26.7	4,573	1,135	24.8	1,203	26.3
Communications and public utilities	2,866	729	25.4	770	26.9	2,935	670	22.8	717	24.4
Wholesale and retail trade	24,671	1,278	5.2	1,406	5.7	25,133	1,194	4.7	1,315	5.2
Wholesale trade	4,573	248	5.4	281	6.1	4,766	243	5.1	265	5.6
Retail trade	20,098	1,030	5.1	1,126	5.6	20,366	951	4.7	1,049	5.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate	7,588	156	2.1	191	2.5	7,488	121	1.6	156	2.1
Services	32,645	1,809	5.5	2,121	6.5	33,528	1,884	5.6	2,208	6.6
Government workers	18,938	7,058	37.3	7,966	42.1	18,976	7,110	37.5	7,976	42.0
Federal	3,264	1,047	32.1	1,275	39.0	3,233	1,033	32.0	1,186	36.7
State	5,233	1,527	29.2	1,781	34.0	5,464	1,641	30.0	1,867	34.2
Local	10,440	4,484	42.9	4,911	47.0	10,278	4,436	43.2	4,923	47.9

¹ Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union.

² Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union as well as workers who report no union affiliation but whose jobs are covered by a union or an employee association contract.

NOTE: Data refer to the sole or principal job of full- and part-time workers. Excluded are all self-employed workers regardless of whether or not their businesses are incorporated. Beginning in January 2000, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.